GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION
LOK SABHA

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NUTRITIONAL PROGRAMMES
PRAHLAD SINGH PATEL

Will the Minister of CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION be pleased to state:

(a) the list of nutritional programmes run by the Union Government, State-wise;

(b) whether the Government plans to integrate these schemes due to their large numbers;

(c) if so, the details thereof;

(d) whether Orissa is to be selected as a paradigm State for the implementation of these sheme; and

(e) if so, the details thereof?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF CONSUMER AFFAIRS, FOOD AND PUBLIC DISTRIBUTION (SH KRISHNAM RAJU)

(a): The following nutritional programmes, for which foodgrains are supplied at subsidized BPL rates, are currently under implementation:-

(i) Wheat Based Nutrition Programme.

(ii) National Programme of Nutritional support to Primary Education (Mid-day-Meal scheme).

The above schemes are in operation in all the States/UTs.

(b): No, Sir.

(c): Does not arise.

(d)&(e): There is no such proposal.